

## Bar-Room Colloquy

you're a dumb Indian  
said the man in the bar

the Indian got to his feet slowly  
and sauntered over  
he folded the man up  
and wrapped his legs around his neck  
then he dangled him by his coat collar  
dusted him off with care  
and set him on a bar stool

thanks for not killing me  
the man said

you're lucky I'm not a white man  
said the Indian  
breathing hard

-- Hester G. Storm

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